tax bond units and the levy of taxes within such districts and units for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds and notes, by making additional provisions for the issuance of school building bonds and extending the application of said Act to Robeson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senator Moore: S. B. 223, a bill to authorize the creation of school districts as special bond tax units, the issuance of school bonds for and in behalf of such districts and the levy of taxes within such districts for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Jordan: S. B. 224, a bill to amend General Statutes 143-36 so as to authorize the State Personnel Director, with the approval of the State Personnel Council and the Governor to provide for a longevity, merit salary increase program for State employees.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

By Senator Jordan: S. B. 225, a bill to amend Chapter 167 of the Private Laws of 1915, the charter of the town of Fuquay Springs, relating to the salaries of the mayor and commissioners of said town.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

By Senators Eagles, Scott, Stone, Stikeleather, King and Whitley: S. B. 226, a bill to provide for instructions for educable mentally handicapped children.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Senator Clark: S. B. 227, a bill to amend General Statutes 20-88 relating to the licensing of property hauling vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

By Senator Cook: S. B. 228, a bill to amend Article 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina relating to the practice of dentistry. Referred to Committee on Public Health.

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A message is received from the House of Representatives, transmitting the following bills and resolutions, which are read the first time, and disposed of as follows:

H. B. 336, a bill to amend General Statutes 113-152 to permit licensed bow nets to be used by persons other than the licensee.

Referred to Committee on Wildlife.

H. B. 343, a bill to amend General Statutes 160-183(a) by rewriting the definition of "municipality" therein.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

H. B. 372, a bill to regulate fox hunting in McDowell County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 417, a bill to authorize counties to regulate the collection of garbage.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. 447, a bill to amend General Statutes 152-1 so as to authorize the clerk of the Superior Court of Union County to appoint an assistant coroner and to amend General Statutes 152-5 relating to the compensation of the coroner of Union County.

Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.